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In re application of)
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Customer No.:	022913))
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AMENDMENT "B" AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the Final Office Action mailed July 25, 2006 (the "Office Action"). Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.